

Wisconsin Motor Carriers Association

Total Lobbying Effort

Total Lobbying Expenditures

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
\$38,959.51	\$31,529.62	\$36,632.34	\$38,448.56	\$145,570.02

Total Hours Communicating

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
123.00	65.00	129.00	84.50	401.50

Total Hours Other

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
202.00	90.50	141.50	112.00	546.00

Hours Lobbied on Each Matter

Lobbying Effort On Legislative Bills And Resolutions

Assembly Bill 21

Relating to: discharge from employment of a passenger-for-hire vehicle operator solely on the basis of having been involved in a single motor vehicle accident.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	6.00 (4%)	27.00 (10%)		33.00 (3%)

Assembly Bill 32

Relating to: extending the employer notification program administered by the Department of Transportation to noncommercial motor vehicle drivers.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	3.00 (2%)	14.00 (5%)		17.00 (2%)

Assembly Bill 649

Relating to: goals for reductions in greenhouse gas emissions, for construction of zero net energy buildings and for energy conservation; information, analyses, reports, education, and training concerning greenhouse gas emissions and climate change; energy efficiency and renewable resource programs; renewable energy requirements of electric utilities and retail cooperatives; requiring electric utilities to purchase renewable energy from certain renewable facilities in their service territories; authority of the Public Service Commission over nuclear power plants; motor vehicle emission limitations; a low carbon standard for transportation fuels; the brownfield site assessment grant program, the main street program, the brownfields grant program, the forward innovation fund, grants to local governments for planning activities, the transportation facilities economic assistance and development program, a model parking ordinance; surface transportation planning by the Department of Transportation and metropolitan planning organizations to reduce greenhouse gas emissions; environmental evaluations for transportation projects; idling limits for certain vehicles; energy conservation codes for public buildings, places of employment, one- and two-family dwellings, and agricultural facilities; design standards for state buildings; energy efficiency standards for certain consumer audio and video devices, boiler inspection requirements; greenhouse gas emissions and energy use by certain state agencies and state assistance to school districts in achieving energy efficiencies; creating an exception to local levy limits for amounts spent on energy efficiency measures; creating an energy crop reserve program; identification of private forest land, promoting sequestration of carbon in forests, qualifying practices and cost-share requirements under the forest grant program established by the Department of Natural Resources; air pollution permits for certain stationary sources reducing greenhouse gas emissions; allocating a portion of existing tax-exempt industrial development revenue bonding to clean energy manufacturing facilities and renewable power generating facilities; requiring a report on certain programs to limit greenhouse gas emissions; granting rule-making authority; requiring the exercise of rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.

2009	2009	2010	2010	Total
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January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	Total
		81.00 (30%)		81.00 (9%)

Senate Bill 506

Relating to: vehicle towing and storage liens.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
		54.00 (20%)		54.00 (6%)

Senate Bill 585

Relating to: prohibiting discrimination against an employee who declines to attend an employer-sponsored meeting or to participate in any communication with the employer or with an agent, representative, or designee of the employer, the primary purpose of which is to communicate the opinion of the employer about religious or political matters.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
		14.00 (5%)		14.00 (1%)

Lobbying Effort On Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number

Legislation relating to engine idling initiative

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
32.50 (10%)	23.33 (15%)	13.53 (5%)	9.83 (5%)	79.19 (8%)

WI Clean Diesel Coalition

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
16.25 (5%)	15.55 (10%)	13.53 (5%)	15.72 (8%)	61.05 (6%)

Opposition to oil assessment fee.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
130.00 (40%)				130.00 (14%)

Opposition to proposed changes to joint & several liability laws.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
97.50 (30%)				97.50 (10%)

Definition of Independent Contractor for Unemployment Compensation purposes for those in the trucking industry.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	12.44 (8%)		9.83 (5%)	22.27 (2%)

Tow Legislation relating to towing and storage.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	31.10 (20%)			31.10 (3%)

Authorizing overweight permits for motor vehicles hauling milk.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	23.33 (15%)			23.33 (2%)

Voiding contractual provisions in motor carrier transportation contracts that indemnify shippers for their own negligent or intentional acts or omissions that lead to claims.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
	15.55 (10%)	13.53 (5%)	9.83 (5%)	38.91 (4%)

Safety record of trucks

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
			9.83 (5%)	9.83 (1%)

Highway user fees paid by trucking companies

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
			78.60 (40%)	78.60 (8%)

Grant program from Dept. of Commerce for engine idling reduction or Alternative Power Units on trucks.

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
			13.76 (7%)	13.76 (1%)

Driver and Mechanic Training Tax Credits

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
			9.83 (5%)	9.83 (1%)

Minor Efforts

(Time spent on matters each of which accounted for less than 10% of the organization's lobbying)

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
32 (10%)	17 (11%)	27 (10%)	20 (10%)	96.31 (10.16%)

Other Matters

Includes time spent on:

- Gubernatorial nominations
- Matters on which the organization made no lobbying communication

2009 January - June	2009 July - December	2010 January - June	2010 July - December	Total
16.25 (5%)	7.78 (5%)	13.53 hours (5%)	19.65 (10%)	57.21 (6.04%)